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METHOD USING NUCLEIC ACID-  
LIPID COMPLEXES

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The references cited on attached form PTO/SB/08A and PTO/SB/08B are being called to the attention of the Examiner.

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representation is being made that a search has been conducted or that this statement encompasses all the possible relevant information.

Applicants note that the present application is a divisional of U.S. Patent Application No. 09/104,759, filed June 25, 1998, now issued U.S. Patent No. 6,693,086 (Attorney Docket No. 021819-000100US). Further, the present application is related to U.S. Patent Application No. 10,012,597, filed November 30, 2001 (Attorney Docket No. 021819-000110US), now abandoned, and to co-pending U.S. Patent Application Nos. 11/320,019, filed December 27, 2005 (Attorney Docket No. 021819-000111US), 10/780,114, filed February 17, 2004 (Attorney Docket No. 021819-000130US), and 10/780,294, filed February 17, 2004 (Attorney Docket No. 021819-000200US). See also U.S. Patent Application No. 10/621,254 (Attorney Docket No. 021819-000300US).

A series of applications by Arthur Krieg, et al. copied claims from the above-identified applications, with respect to which Krieg, et al. alleges that there is overlapping subject matter and has requested that interferences be declared. See U.S. Patent Application Nos. 10/690,495; 11/296,644; 11/296,572; and 11/507,079.

In an abundance of caution, Applicants are including in this IDS references cited by Krieg, et al. in prosecution of the identified applications, and references cited by Krieg, et al. in allegedly related U.S. Patent Nos. 6,194,388 and 6,207,646. Most of the references cited herein are found in the Krieg, et al file histories.

Please note that U.S. Patent No. 6,207,646 was involved in Interference No. 105,171 with U.S. Patent Application No. 09/265,191 (Carson, Raz, et al.). The '646 patent was maintained.

If requested, Applicants can provide copies of any of the cited references.

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